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House Resolution 539

By: Representative Williams of the 178th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending the 1967 State Champion Jesup High School baseball team;
- 2 and for other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, under the excellent leadership of Head Coach Jim Collins, the 1967 Jesup High
- 4 School baseball team secured the Georgia High School Association Class A State
- 5 Championship; and
- 6 WHEREAS, this team's hard work, enthusiasm for the game, and exceptional skill are
- 7 legendary and, over the years, have served as an inspiring example to Jesup High School's
- 8 student athletes; and
- 9 WHEREAS, this memorable team consisted of many outstanding individuals, including Eddy
- 10 Lane, Gary Bennett, Ronnie Bennett, Sheryl Rentz, Mickey Harter, Ronald Bennett, Bert
- 11 Yeargan, Steve Beasley, Wade Odum, Roger Lewis, Jim McPipkin, Joe McPipkin, Pat
- 12 Brown, Randy Walker, Hugh Burke, Terry Thompson, Darwin Odum, J.C. Arnett, and Butch
- 13 Myers; and
- 14 WHEREAS, the Wayne County Sports Hall of Fame is honoring the 40th anniversary of this
- celebrated team in 2007.
- 16 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 17 the members of this body join to recognize and commend the members of the 1967 Jesup
- 18 High School baseball team on the occasion of the 40th anniversary of their state
- 19 championship victory.
- 20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- and directed to transmit appropriate copies of this resolution to the members of the 1967
- 22 Jesup High School baseball team.